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The Honorable John C. Danforth  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Danforth:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of  
22 February and the inquiry from your constituent,

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Please assure your constituent that the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) does not possess any photographs which contain evidence of the location of Noah's Ark. I have checked with knowledgeable individuals concerning the item referenced in the Executive Sessions of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Historical Series) Volume XII, page 286, and I have been advised that the discussion did not concern anything relating to Noah's Ark, but rather to Soviet military activity.

In addition to the above, I have also learned that several years ago an individual connected with producing a film concerning Noah's Ark sued the CIA for the same type of information. Upon order of the court, photographs were produced for review by the court, which then dismissed the suit.

Sincerely,

/s/ Clair E. George

Clair E. George  
Director, Office of Legislative Liaison

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